

RESOLUTION 1655

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF NORTH BEND, WASHINGTON, AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH MOUNTAINS TO SOUND GREENWAY TRUST FOR INVASIVE CONTROL AT RIVERFRONT PARK AND RIBARY CREEK

WHEREAS, the City of North Bend Comprehensive Plan SA - Goal 1 states the City's intent to protect the natural hydraulic, hydrologic and habitat functions, scenic as well as recreational values of streams; and

WHEREAS, the City has previously completed improvements in the same area under grant funding for Riverfront Phase I and II and along Ribary Creek; and

WHEREAS, the City applied for and received a King Conservation District (KCD) Member Jurisdiction Grant funding for \$14,745.43 to perform invasive control at Riverfront Park and Ribary Creek; and

WHEREAS, the Mountain to Sound Greenway Trust ("Greenway Trust") has committed to \$10,000 in-kind donations as well as provide education and training of AmeriCorps Conservation Corps crews and community volunteers in restoration techniques such as invasive weed removal, restoration and tree and shrub establishment;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH BEND, WASHINGTON, DOES HEREBY RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: The Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into a cooperative/service provider agreement with Mountains to Sound Greenway Trust for Invasive Control at Riverfront and Ribary Creek, in the form as attached hereto as Exhibit A.

Section 2: RCW 39.04.280 authorizes the City Council to waive the standard competitive bidding requirements in the event of "special market conditions". To the extent any bidding requirements apply, in light of the factual basis set forth herein, the City Council finds special market conditions under RCW 39.04.280(b) exist and all bidding requirements (if any) are hereby waived for the contract with MTSG. These special market conditions include the King Conservation Grant for this Project, the donation to the Project by MTSG, and the utilization and training of AmeriCorps teams and community volunteers.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH BEND, WASHINGTON, AT A REGULAR MEETING THEREOF, THIS 17TH DAY OF JUNE, 2014.

CITY OF NORTH BEND:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Kenneth G. Hearing, Mayor

Michael R. Kenyon, City Attorney

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

Effective: June 17, 2014

Posted: June 18, 2014

Susie Oppedal, City Clerk